

Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific

Committee on Statistics Eighth session

Agenda 3b: Monitoring progress in response to the Get Every One in the Picture initiative on civil registration and vital statistics

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| Statement Provided by : Statistics Korea, The Republic of Korea | |
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| <p>The Republic of Korea welcomes the recommendations drawn from the 8th meeting of the Regional Steering Group and recognizes the pivotal role of the CRVS systems for the recovery from and responses to disasters.</p> <p>We also agree the importance of inter-agency coordination and collaboration through legislative frameworks and the interoperability of databases in order to improve the efficiency of the CRVS production.</p> <p>Statistics Korea produces the vital statistics based on our civil registration system, for which Statistics Korea, the Supreme Court of Korea and the municipal governments all work together. As a point in case, the family relations registration of the Supreme Court has been partially connected to the vital statistics system of Statistics Korea whereby increasing efficiency in the statistical production.</p> <p>Furthermore, our Statistics Act provides the solid legal grounds for collecting data allowing the CRVS production system to operate reliably.</p> <p>Having had valuable experience in producing robust and efficient vital statistics, Korea will step up its effort in sharing our experience with the Regional Steering Group as well as regional statistical communities.</p> <p>We will also provide countries with opportunities, upon their request, to better understand the production systems and techniques for Korea’s vital statistics.</p> | |
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